

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 3790

Masaaki KIYOMIYA et al.

Art Unit: 2652

Application No.: 10/659,382

Examiner: Miller, Brian E.

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Attorney Dkt. No.: 107156-00205

For: DEVICE FOR SUPPORTING AN OPTICAL DISC DRIVING DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 16, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for two months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 16, 2005 from March 16, 2006 to May 16, 2006. Attached is our check in the amount of \$450.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing docket number 107156-00205.

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Respectfully submitted,

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